66. (Amended)

A method of relieving trauma associated with obstruction of vessels distal to a thrombus site by increasing blood flow with or without thrombus dissolution and recanalization in animals comprising:

introducing a pharmaceutical composition to an animal with a thrombus by intravenous injection, said pharmaceutical composition comprising a microbubble ultrasound agent, and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier, wherein said carrier comprises a 5% solution of dextrose and thereafter;

applying ultrasound to the area of trauma.